Memo to File:

Re: Interstate Brick Corporation Koosharem Mine Piute Co. ACT/031/002

Mr. Bob Steele dropped into the office and informed the Division on this day that Interstate Brick planned to cease operations at the Koosharem Mine and wished to begin reclamation this fall.

The operation involves both State and Federal Land Ownership with claims and leases belonging to Mr. Don Fulmer. Responsibility for the operation will be delegated to Mr. Fullmer upon Interstate Brick's completion of reclamation work which will be detailed in a forthcoming amendment to the original mining and reclamation plan. It is Interstate Brick's intention to leave the pit open for possible future development at the request of Mr. Fullmer. Mr. Steele noted that the Forest Service approved of this action and inquired about the State's position. He was informed that this would be acceptable as long as the proper safety precautions and stabilization measures were met and Mr. Fullmer was bonded for reclamation of the pit should it not be developed further.

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